

# Philatelic Foundation Edition



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Postmaster General Arthur E. Summerfield advises that the Bureau of Engraving and Printing has been conducting experiments in connection with the production of bicolor stamps on a press acquired from the Giori Organization, Lausanne Switzerland. It is believed that these experiments have now reached the point where the Department is in a position to produce bicolor or multicolor stamps in a fast and economical manner.

The stamp will be 0.84 by 1.44 inches in dimension, arranged horizontally in a dark frame, printed on pre-gummed paper and issued in sheets of 50. The color will be red, white and blue. The

red and blue will be printed by the intaglio process with the paper constituting the white, or the third color. A printing of 40,000,000 has been authorized.

The central design portrays the American flag waving in the breeze. The quotation "Long may it wave," in dark Gothic, is shown directly beneath. In the lower left corner, arranged in two lines, is the denomination "4" and the word "Postage" in dark Gothic. A dark panel across the bottom frames the wording "United States of America," in white face Gothic.

Stamp collectors desiring first day cancellations may send addressed envelopes, together with money order remittance to cover the cost of the stamps to be affixed, to the Postmaster, Washington 13, D. C. An enclosure of medium weight should be placed in each envelope and the flap either turned in or sealed.

The outside envelope to the Postmaster should be endorsed "First Day Covers."

## Sweden Prepares Life-Saving Pair

"Svenska Sällskapet för räddning af Skeppsbrotne" (The Swedish Society for the Saving of Ship-wrecked Persons) or, as it is now called, "Sjoraddningssällskapet", is celebrating its 50-year jubilee on June 1. In this connection the General Post Office of Sweden is issuing two new stamps, of 30 ore and 1.40Kr.



The design, showing a vessel in distress and a lifeboat on the way to its assistance, is the work of Torsten Billman. The engraving is by Sven Ewert. The 300 will be blue and is to be issued both in coils and booklets of 20. The higher value will be red and will be issued only in coils.

Mint sets may be ordered from the Post Office Philatelic Agency, Stockholm, Sweden. The price is 2:30Kr. per set, plus 90 ore for registration — total, 3:20Kr. (64c; the Kroner is 20c U. S.). Send international money order or banker's check in payment. Reply coupons or stamps are not acceptable.

"Sjoraddningssällskapet" has in the course of the years built up an effective life-saving service, quite like services in England and the United States. Modern life boats are stationed at exposed places along the whole coast. The society cooperates with various government organs — the Telecommunications Administration, the Navy, the Air Force, the Maritime and Customs Administrations etc. The coastal radio stations serve as life-saving centers and can be alarmed from all telephones in the coastal zone.

## Organization Disseminates Philatelic Knowledge; Checks Authenticity Stamps, Covers

Louise Boyd Dale

The first I ever heard about the Philatelic Foundation was a telephone call early in 1945, from Alfred F. Lichtenstein to our home in Maryland, saying that he wanted me to donate \$1000 as a Founding Member. Naturally, I consented! That was all I heard about it for quite some time, in fact, not until after dad's death, when I was asked to become a member of the Board of Trustees, did I become cognizant of the aims and functions of the Philatelic Foundation.

The urge to do something good for American philately was in the minds of all those Founding Trustees who met for the first formal gathering at the University Club on March 26 1945. Those present were:

Hugh M. Clark  
George R. M. Ewing  
Walter M. Hinkle  
Robert L. Graham Jr.,  
Alfred F. Lichtenstein  
Harry L. Dindquist  
Malcolm Johnson  
Theodore E. Steinway

At that time the granting of the Absolute Charter from the Board of Regents of the University of the State of New York, was announced, the By-Laws drawn up, and the proposed Classes of Membership discussed.

The first officers were appointed:

Chairman—Alfred F. Lichtenstein  
Treasurer—Theodore E. Steinway  
Secretary—Robert L. Graham Jr.

The Philatelic Foundation was established for the purpose of advancement and the dissemination of philatelic knowledge, for the authentication of postage stamps, and for upholding the good in American Philately.

Winthrop S. Boggs was engaged as Director of the Foundation in May. It was also announced that \$15,850 had been donated up until that time.

The well-known "Luff" reference collection and library was given by Hugh and Theresa Clark in September 1946. This was the most important single gift donated to the Foundation for its proposed work. It became the nucleus of our enlarged reference collections which play such an important role in the daily work of the Philatelic Foundation.

It was the intention of our first Chairman to equalize the importance of this gift of the reference collection to the Foundation by

an equally substantial bequest in his will. Unfortunately, as you all know, he died very suddenly, on the same day of his return from Haiti, before he had the chance to sign the new will. This was a very severe blow to our organization, and also to those so closely interested in it. Since that time, I have attempted to carry out his intentions.

As time elapsed the first meeting of the Expert Committee took place in October 1945.

In the fall of 1946 Mr. Boggs undertook to give a course in philately on behalf of the Philatelic Foundation. Later this course was given repeatedly in conjunction with Columbia University.

In June 1946 Adm. Frederic R. Harris, was appointed to the Board of Trustees, and was elected to be chairman upon the death of Mr. Lichtenstein. It was at this time that I was asked to join the Board of Trustees, which I felt not only obligated, but dedicated to do.

During the leadership, and through the generosity of our second chairman, Adm. Harris, the Philatelic Foundation's first publication, became a reality. "The Book on the Postage Stamps and Postal History of Hawaii" by Admiral Harris, William J. Davey, John K. Bash and others.

In May 1947, the Foundation participated in CIPLEX through a series of lectures based on the courses in philately, and the Expert Committee at Work.

The ground work was begun to raise the sum of \$5000 in order to purchase the files and records of Stanley B. Ashbrook, for their use during his lifetime, and possession thereafter.

After the untimely death of Adm. Harris, the Foundation

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The following Trustees were nominated for the Class of 1960, and by unanimous vote, the secretary was instructed to cast a single ballot for the re-election of

Robert L. Graham Jr.,  
George R. M. Ewing

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Thus the complete Board of Trustees is as follows:

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### 1960 Class

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The nominating committee under the chairmanship of John R. Boker Jr., proposed the following slate of officers to serve until the next annual meeting.

CHAIRMAN—Louise B. Dale

VICE-CHAIRMAN—Robert J. Gill

TREASURER—Stanley R. Rice

SECRETARY—George E. Burghard

This slate was unanimously accepted and the secretary was instructed to cast a single ballot.

It was unanimously resolved to extend a sincere vote of appreciation for the services of the retiring officers, Messrs. Boker, Goodkind and Graham.

## Public Work Of The Philatelic Foundation

Ethel Harper

The aims of the Foundation are those common to all serious stamp collectors, students of postal history and professional philatelists. It is in their interests that an active organization of this calibre should work in pursuit of these objectives. The Foundation sets out:

- To encourage and advance all branches of philately and postal history.
- To preserve the records of studies and researches made by advanced philatelists.
- To maintain a comprehensive philatelic library.
- To establish and maintain a reference collection of postage stamps of the world.
- To give a clearer understanding of philately to the public.
- To act as philatelic consultants.
- To do anything generally that will establish and maintain a standard of American Philately of which the world may be proud.

Evidence is available on all sides of the manner in which the Foundation has striven to carry out the objects envisioned by the far-sighted founders. Yet it may be news to many, never a day passes, but that the Foundation is consulted by the press, national magazines, pastimes and hobbies periodicals, educational institutions, museums, libraries, trustees of estates, lawyers and bankers, radio and television programs — all on philatelic problems.

We are also requested to sponsor applications for commemorative stamps for a variety of projects. We have been asked to support the interests of stamp printers, in their endeavor to secure orders from various countries. Such services are not within the orbit of the Foundation's activities.

One of the first functions of the Foundation was to arrange regular courses of classes. From 1946 to 1950 Courses in Philately were given in the service program of the Board of Education of the City of New York. In 1951 similar courses were given by the Foundation in conjunction with the Institute of Arts and Sciences, Columbia University, which continued through 1955.

There is hardly a stamp collector who does not recollect the splendid feature put out by Life in May 1954. The services of the Philatelic Foundation were sought, and given, in a research capacity in the preparation of this feature.

When the National Geographic Magazine was working on its fine and informative post office article (July 1954) the Philatelic Foundation was approached, and a colored illustration was included of our chairman and secretary at work.

The time came when the National Assn. of Manufacturers decided to include philately in their weekly television feature news-reel, "Industry on Parade". The Foundation was consulted and gave all the help and guidance possible to the filming of this documentary. It was shown throughout the United States during 1954 and 1955. We are proud that we were able to contribute to a program that brought philately into every home, through the telecast schedule of this film which covered some 250 television stations.

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## Socked On The Nose

For fun and interest collect stamps on which the cancel is "Socked on the Nose". This term originally applied to stamps whereon the round circular part of the cancel which has the name of the town, the state and the time as well as the calendar date was centered as perfectly as possible on the stamp. In collecting markings of this type one can hold to cancels as just described or can include those of other types. This will include any style where the characteristic of the cancel is of some prominence and stands out over and above other parts of the strike. When such markings are centered as fully as possible on the stamp, then the stamp can be included in a Socked on the Nose collection.



GEORGE W. LINN

For the moment I want to talk about the first group of cancels of this type that I have mentioned, the postmark of circular form enclosing the name of town, state, time and date. These are the cancels that most collectors seek, passing up all others. You can do likewise at the start but keep your eye peeled for others; eventually you will find them just as interesting.

Collectors of this type of cancel can remember several things. They are comparatively scarce, and they are valued at much more than ordinary ones. Here in America collecting of Socked on the Nose cancels has been confined almost wholly to United States stamps. That is a good field to start in and if you are ever successful in getting an almost complete collection of U. S. postage with cancels of this type you will have a very interesting collection and one worth much more than average.

Collectors who like to buy and pick thru mixtures should find the strikes of this type of particular interest, for in addition to collecting U. S. stamps they should add foreign stamps to such a collection. I do not recommend that you get rabid about foreign but that you merely keep your eyes open and pick up every foreign stamp with this type of cancel that you may see.

Back about 1920 when I was in Columbus, Ohio, and dealing in stamps for my livelihood, I had a customer who traveled from the East Coast to the West Coast once or twice a year. This man stopped at my office to look for stamps on each trip he made. His quest was for stamps of any kind with a Socked on the Nose cancel, either U. S. or foreign. In time I got in the habit of watching for such on foreign issues and laying them aside for his next visit.

This man was a very interesting collector and eventually told me that he had built up a collection of something like 5000 varieties of stamps with this type of cancel. He advised me also that when he got the collection up to a certain size he had a market for it in Europe.

I particularly remember his search for German stamps of the mark values, Scott type A12 to A15, and A17 to A20, with a plain Socked on the Nose cancel. Almost every stamp you have ever seen of any of these mark values has two "kills". It seems that the orders in the German Post Office required the clerks to hit these mark values twice and that to find one with only a single Socked on the Nose obliteration was almost an impossibility. You who doubt this can bear it in mind and watch for such handling on mark values of these German issues. This applies of course to the earlier ones of the old German Empire and perhaps not so much to the later war issues of similar types.

So for fun and pleasure, just start a Socked on the Nose collection. Include both U. S. and foreign stamps in it and see what a lot of fun you can have searching for stamps to add to such a collection.

It should be apparent of course that a lot of stamps are so small it is impossible to obtain the complete circle cancel on one. This is true of our recent Presidential series and of the new series which has replaced it. In such instances simply select a stamp which shows the marking centered as completely as possible. Many almost perfect specimens of this type can be found.

## Rotary Stamps Of The World

If you have not yet acquired all of the Rotary stamps you want for your collection, our advice would be to buy them at once. Rotary issues seem destined for action such as surrounded UN issues, and prices will climb rapidly.

Incidentally, we note in a contemporary publication a list of countries that have issued Rotary stamps. The author offers the list of just 36 countries as being comparatively complete. It will amaze him no doubt, as well as others, when they see the new Topical Society handbook on Rotary issues which will contain 220 illustrations of Rotary stamps. This new book was issued May 15 and will doubtless cause a run on Rotary stamps that will put them right up among the best sellers.

## We're Very Sorry

In the April 22 editorial appeared a letter from Dr. Miles of Baltimore which bore an expression "temporizing Ginsbergs". The entire letter was printed by us without any editing whatsoever, and it was not our intention to offend anyone with its contents or that term. Our use of the letter was strictly as an example piece.

We are most distressed to learn that some persons feel the term offended them. For this we apologize most sincerely. We are not given to critical comments of anyone's politics, race, religion or color. That is personal business with which we do not want to become involved. So we ask you to please excuse an innocent faux pas made with no thought of malice. We're very sorry.

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## Single Honors German Post

From West Germany on May 18 came a 20pf. commem. to note the 350th anniversary of the birth of poet Paul Gerhardt. It bears Gerhardt's portrait, a design prepared by Leon Schnell of Berlin. Printing was at the Federal Printing Office in a red color in a quantity of 20 million copies. The paper is watermarked DBP.

Gerhardt was born at Graefenhainichen (Saxony) on March 12, 1607. He was the son of the burgo-master. His studies were directed to becoming a man of religion — they were concluded with his graduation from the University of Wittenberg.

In later years Gerhardt held the pastorate of the famous Nikolai Church in Berlin where he had differences of religious opinion with his superior, the great Kurfuurst. These had to do with Lutheranism and Reformed confession. Gerhardt was forced from his pastorate and out of Berlin. He died at Luebben on May 27, 1676.

According to Joachim Dill of Bad Neustadt, Germany, Gerhardt is considered one of the greatest authors of hymns in the Protestant church. Some of them have been used in the Roman Catholic Church in Germany.

From the Communist Zone of Germany came a set of two commemoratives on May 7 for the 10th World Day of the Red Cross. The stamps are in a horizontal format and are similar in that each has a globe and like inscription, and a red cross. However the 10pf green and the 25pf blue, while both having a portrait of Jean Henri Dunant, show different pictures of him, as a young man and older, respectively. Dunant was the founder of the Red Cross.

Designers were H. Rose and H. Priess. Printing was on paper watermarked with quatrefoils at the Graphische Werkstaetten at Leipzig.

Not previously reported was a 5pf stamp for the "Internationale Radrennfahrt fuer den Frieden" (International Bicyclists Tour) issued April 30. It has an orange color and pictures the route of the tour and Karls Bridge at Prague, Czechoslovakia, the Town Hall at Berlin, Germany and the Culture Palace at Warsaw, Poland.

## "Philatelic" Tray Created Much Interest

In the May 13 edition on page 22 was a picture of a tray which had won a national prize as an outstanding piece of metal lithography. Of special interest to the readers of this paper was the fact that it had in its overall design over 100 foreign stamp reproductions in their full colors.

It was manufactured by the J. L. Clark Mfg. Corp., Rockford, Ill. Inquiries as to its availability should be directed to this firm.

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## UN, Spellman Stamps Displayed At TABIL

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Cardinal Spellman's collection, which features religion on stamps, is in custody of Sister M. Fidelma of Regis College, Weston, Mass., and represents one of the finest collections of its kind. It has been the winner of numerous awards.

The United Nations will exhibit through the authority of Reidar Tvedt, Chief, U.N. Postal Administration, who is sending a large representation of United Nations stamps to the exposition.

## 1957 STAMP PROGRAM

June 10 — Jamestown-Naval Review 3c, Norfolk, Va. (50 per pane, 120 million).

June 14 — Oklahoma Statehood 3c, Oklahoma City, Okla. (50 per pane, 80 million).

July 1 — 3c Teachers, Philadelphia, Pa. (50 per pane, 120 million).

July 4 — U. S. Flag 4c, Washington, D.C. (50 per pane, 40,000,000).

Aug. 1 — Air Force 50th Anniversary, Washington, D. C. (No further details).

Wildlife Conservation (details not announced)

## ALREADY ISSUED

1086 — Hamilton 3c, New York, N. Y. January 11.

1087 — Polio 3, Washington, D. C. January 15.

1088 — C & GS 3c, Seattle, Wash., February 11.

1089 — Architects 3c, New York, N. Y., February 23.

1090 — Steel 3c, New York, N. Y. May 22.

## CANADA

June 5-5c Explorer, Ottawa, Canada (See instructions for FDC's Linn's of April 29).

## UNITED NATIONS

May 27-4c Airmail stamp, 4c postal card.

Oct. 24-3c and 8c UN Day.

Dec. 10 — 3c and 8c Human Rights Day.

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This is one of the charity stamps issued by the J.N.F. (Jewish National Fund). Simon, the well known expert, in his catalog devoted to this specialty, says "The J.N.F. stamps may be considered the prototype of the present Israel stamps."

In 1948, before the first official stamps, (interim period) many J.N.F. stamps were postally used in Israel. Naturally, such items are quite scarce on covers, overprinted, but the item illustrated here is, itself, extremely interesting in relation to Israel Philately, and as an 'odd' item generally.

P.S. as recently evidenced by strong interest in such material at a leading N. Y. auction, such philatelic "prototypes" are beginning to be collected here as is already the case in London and Israel. Arcade carries a stock of JNF booklet panes, sheets, packets, etc. Write us if you are interested.

- \$10. BIG BROOM LOT.** For a little more, you get much more. Here we include everything in the five dollar lot, but we see the big broom, and there is even more variety.

For example, the first item will now catalog at least \$20.00, the education packet will give you a bigger education (for example, more than a dozen complete mint British sets. The Kelly wedding postage set is here COMPLETE, etc. etc.)

The "fantasy" lot is more embracing, you get stamps from Lundy, a privately owned Island which was recently a news item when the owner died. You get weird triangles from a "revolutionary Government that is denied for recognition, a philatelic curiosity regardless of the outcome.

In item #4 we include additional 19th century items, and in the varieties, we give you some pairs. In Israel we now give three different mint sheets and add some special event covers of that nation. In U.N. we add to the varieties some complete commem. sets. And finally, we have a huge box of mounted old approval sheets from companies that went out of business, old out, etc. In the \$10. and larger lots we start shovelling in generous sections of this material, which you can recatalog for trading or for your own collection.

The errors section is also expanded, and in this lot you will get one that lists by itself, for at least \$5.00 in one of the specialist catalogs.

- \$19.95 GENERAL CLOSEOUT.** Note: If past experience is any guide, this should prove to be the seasons sellout. This lot contains a wealth of material as clearly described here. It is interesting, it is unusual, and still it is within the general price range. (Incidentally, "Arcade" advertising policy does not proclaim "Something for Nothing" but at the end of an active season, we are able to figure material at a fraction of normal selling price.)

For \$19.95 you get everything mentioned in the previous lots, but a wider assortment in every respect. For example item 1 will now catalog not \$5. or \$10. but at least \$25.00 and we will guarantee that this unique unit will contain stamps from 90 to 100 different countries!

We step up the number of complete sets in the "Education Packet", there are now at least 25 sets, all mint, all British and all complete in addition to the other features in this unit as described above.

You get the German World War I Group, but you also get a group at least double its size of a German Occupation in the second world war, including a scarce wartime French Spy Stamp, made for espionage, resembling the real thing but with secret markings. (As we only have 30 copies of this stamp in stock, this piece will be included only in the first 30 orders for this item.)

You get all the errors referred to but more, the Israel "double plane" (Block) U. S. shades and also a five times as large section of those se-tenants (upside down joined stamps)

- DEALER AND TRADER ENSEMBLE—\$40.** From past ads, we know that many dealers and traders will order one or two of our \$19.95 closeouts for the purpose of breakup or re-sale. With this in mind we make the following offer.

We have on hand a good deal of trading and resale material, collection remains, mounted sets, old approval sheets, 2c books, sorted pictorials, etc., etc. For \$40.00 we will ship you our above \$19.95 lot, but in addition we will take such material as described in the previous sentence, in the amount of \$40.00 retail. Everything will be priced, the value will be indicated and THIS UNIT CAN BE RETAILED OR TRADED FOR YOUR COST. Thus the \$19.95 lot is free. Or you can figure that \$40. retail costs you only \$21.05. Either way, you get everything, both lots, and your cost is \$40.00 complete and postpaid.

Incidentally, we also include in this unit dealer accessories for your use in re-arranging this material should you wish to. We include 1000 Glassine envelopes, some black acetate display sheets, and stock or approval books as required in your lot.

Note: only a limited number of such lots are available. Your check will be immediately returned should we sell out.

- THE ULTIMATE AND THE END—\$99.00.** Perhaps only three or four such lots can be made. But this is for the expansive the superlative-minded, the king size production. Study our above offers—We honestly believe this is worthwhile material—for those who wish to go the limit, this is as far as we can go. You get the following.

Item #1, as described in the other lots, stamps from 100 countries, etc., will catalog over \$100.00, in itself.

The "Education" unit will include 100 (ONE HUNDRED) different, complete mint sets, entirely British Colonials.

Of course you get the Fantasy enlarged lot, and

4-5-6. The German Material, WW I, WW II, and an extra group of postwar complete sets, and

7. Complete Postwar sheets, including miniatures, of approx. \$20.00 Scott. (Postwar Germany items sell close to catalog prices.)

8. Remember Grace Kelly? The complete postage Wedding set in complete sheets of 25, and speaking of Monaco

9. We add some Monaco Imperfs not included in any of our other lots. (As the Monaco Postal People are rather careful, imperfs of the ordinarily perforated issues are not easy to come by.)

10. ISRAEL—16 (TEN) different complete mint sheets, including of course the "double plane" variety in complete sheet, obsolete, etc., etc. also from

11. Israel, dozens of first day special event covers, picture post cards, etc. and this lot will include the complete official set of 4 diff. Post-offices in the fabulous GAZA STRIP.

12. The U. S. Shade varieties, and

13. The United Nations in complete sheets—this is 2 different

variation of the same stamp, with distinctly different printing in different areas—this item is not too widely known, and you get SHEETS OF 50.

14. A complete sheet of the JNF Menora (see illustration)

15. The collection of se-tenants (upside down—joined stamps) expanded in size, at least 40 to 50 different combinations, including tete-beche.

16. The early material, including the 1855 Queen Victoria "black" proof IN A BLOCK OF (12) TWELVE. In normal stamps, this item would exceed \$2000.00 in catalog value.

17. An important booklet of errors and varieties, proofs, etc. legitimate stamps with wrong spelling, head missing, unlisted airmails, etc. This material represents major countries, France, Spain, Argentina, Switzerland, etc., and includes singles, pairs, and blocks of 4 and blocks of 6. (Schuman error of Germany is 6)

18. Where earlier lots specify topical collections, you will receive the largest display unit we distribute, over a foot square display of hundreds and hundreds of large size topicals normal retail price \$20.00 itself.

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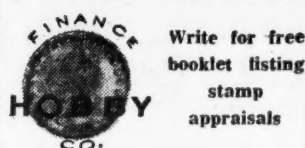
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field!That United States flag stamp in  
full color is something a lot of us  
have wanted for years and years  
and now that it is to be a reality  
come July 4 we're appreciative.It is rather difficult to visualize  
its red, white and blue splendor  
from the black and white photo-  
graph of the design, but basically  
it does have one desirable feature—  
simplicity. No cluttering up of the  
design with gobs of words — just  
the flag, and the legend of fervent  
hope, "Long may it wave".Even though it is a 4-center, and  
here the suspicion arises that it is  
subtle propaganda for an increase  
to that figure of the first class rate,  
I doubt whether 40 million of them  
will do more than meet immediate  
requests.But let's see. In the meanwhile  
those of you who want copies with-  
out fail order them from the Phila-  
telic Agency, Post Office Depart-  
ment, Washington 25, D.C. They'll  
cost \$2 per sheet plus handling  
charges as follows — 5c for up to  
100 stamps; 10c to 300; 15c to 700,  
20c to 1000; 30c to 2000; 40c to  
3000; 50c to 4000; 60c to 5000; 75c  
over 5000. Registration comes at  
50c extra besides these charges.Payment can be by money order  
or certified check, the latter ob-  
tainable at any bank.

1. An early stamp of the U. S.  
had the flag in carmine and blue.  
Know which?
2. Which is the most recent stamp  
in carmine and blue?

In connection with the orders to  
the Agency, you will not get stamps  
on your package to pay the postage.  
This mail is sent via the Depart-  
ment's franking privilege. The  
charge which is made is to cover  
the cost of the envelope, stiff card-  
board for protection, and the time  
of the employees in wrapping the  
shipment.A lot of folks have complained  
about the "no-stamp" policy of the  
Agency, but that's the way it is.  
It appears as though it will not be  
changed — so purchases will have  
to be made in accordance with it.I haven't seen any of the new 100-  
stamp coils first mentioned here  
a number of weeks ago. I under-  
stand however, they are produced  
from the 384 subject plates which  
are 24 stamps wide by 16 rows deep.  
That means that a joint-line pair  
will appear only every 24 stamps.Adoption of the 384 stamp plates  
was in the way of an economy  
since a saving in paper resulted  
and a more efficient handling of  
the product could be made.Probably because of several re-  
cent mentions of stamp show judg-  
ing assignments I have had letters  
requesting suggestions and informa-  
tion relative to the preparation of  
displays by collectors, and on the  
other side of the fence, what is ex-  
pected of the exhibition committees.It has probably been all of two  
years since this broad subject of  
exhibitions has been covered here,  
and if the words of that time are  
remembered no better than other  
things which have appeared, then  
now should be the day and the year  
for a recap.Beyond the few generous big-  
timers who display their pages at  
a show outside the competition,  
probably every other entrant seeks  
a trophy or ribbon. Since some dis-  
plays do win and others do not, ex-  
hibitors want to know how come.You will remember in last week's  
column mention was made that the  
entries with old stamps and covers,  
and those which are of the highly  
specialized variety, have the edge  
over the straight ones consisting of  
country collections, or specialties  
such as airmails or semipostals.  
That's a known fact and there is a  
change needed — I suggested one.There are too many judges who  
will pass through an exhibition and  
rate the displays in a lump sum.  
It has always seemed fair to me to  
write down the number of points  
won by a display in each category  
and then to total such points. That  
way if there is a discussion among  
the judges as to the worth of nearly  
equal exhibits they can study their  
differences and resolve them.As a general thing the possible  
100 points are broken down to be  
awarded as follows —

|                          |    |
|--------------------------|----|
| Philatelic Knowledge     | 40 |
| Neatness and Originality | 20 |
| Presentation             | 20 |
| Condition                | 20 |

Now this distribution might vary,  
but most always the heavy figure  
is for Philatelic Knowledge. It de-  
pends on the exhibition committee  
and this is one of the things they  
must determine and include in theprospectus so an exhibitor knows  
what he has to shoot for.Philatelic knowledge, and here  
again this is a personal opinion, is  
a nebulous thing. In the first place  
few collections have it to any great  
extent. The writing-in of the Scott  
Catalog number, or the year of is-  
sue is zero. Such things as the  
name of the engraver and designer,  
printing firm, watermark if any,  
differences in paper, perfs or color  
of like appearing issues, and any  
variation from normal are basic  
philatelic knowledge and for many  
issues are all that the collector  
should or can give. If a special  
stamp a line or two should state  
the nature of the commemoration,  
or whatever.I have seen displays with older  
stamps which give but the year of  
issue and perhaps the perforation.  
Judges erroneously have given a  
large number of "knowledge"  
points to such being carried away  
no doubt, by the age or condition  
of the material. Actually the phila-  
telic knowledge, as displayed on  
those album pages, is worth about  
one point. And that's the only way  
you can judge — on what you see.I have seen other displays with  
a reasonably good write-up, but I  
can't give them tops for knowledge  
because I can almost tell exactly  
the book from which they got their  
information. I would rate them  
high in points because they have  
done some looking in books on their  
specialty and are acquainted with  
some of the literature and informa-  
tion on the subject through their  
personal efforts.Pure research as displayed on the  
pages of the entry is worth the full  
40 points providing it is accurate  
and offers reasonable and logical  
conclusions and can be backed up  
with stamps or covers to prove the  
theory.I have also seen judges carried  
away by a display of old covers.  
You can buy stampless ones by the  
bale and others of the last century  
of the commoner stamps at not too  
much expense. Typical write-ups  
of these which rate a zero for  
knowledge in my book are those  
which have notations, for example,  
as "Carried from Kokomo to Upper  
Cheeseburg"; or "5c fee for the  
first rate of less than 300 miles";  
or "10c fee stamped in red"; or  
"manuscript cancel". All those  
things are definitely obvious with  
a quick look at the cover in ques-  
tion, and for that reason are cer-  
tainly not knowledge.If one is going to judge fairly he  
is going to have to read a few of  
the write-ups and not be influenced  
by prettiness of the page, or age or  
rarity of the material. If you're  
going to judge for knowledge, let  
it be knowledge as displayed on  
the page and absolutely nothing  
else.Neatness and Originality cannot  
be given to printed album pages  
since both have previously been  
exercised by the album-maker and  
not the collector, and the collector  
is the one rated. So you lose 20  
points here. Likewise you would  
get no points for philatelic knowl-  
edge on a printed page for the  
write-up there is again the album-  
maker's.Don't get me wrong about the  
printed albums. Without them our  
hobby would not be very far along  
and they are a must for our hobby.  
Many collectors do not have the  
skill to draw up their own pages,  
and many are satisfied to collect  
that way with only their own plea-  
sure and no thought of prizes in  
their minds.Presentation points are given for  
the appealingness, to the eye, of  
the entry, and for the manner in which  
any information or idea is put  
across. Here again there will be  
no points for a printed page.As for condition, this is not al-  
ways an easy one, but it is possible  
for points to be gotten by a printed  
page providing the stamps on it are  
anything but "dogs". If the stamps  
on that printed page are in top  
condition the judge will give the 18  
to 20 points. That being all the  
display has rated I can tell you  
that 20 points will win nothing at  
any kind of a show where they have  
a goodly number of exhibits.For most of the stamps since  
1940 — the world over — there is  
little excuse for not having very  
fine to superb centering since most  
of them are produced that way.  
You might have to shop a little, or  
pay perhaps 5% to 10% more, but  
if you are trophy-hunting the best  
condition possible is what you have  
to have.But from 1840 to 1940 stamps, by  
today's standards, came in all kinds  
of condition. The judge has to  
know pretty well in what state they  
exist. As for instance early Af-  
ghanistan stamps were cancelled  
by having a piece torn out of them.  
They look like the devil that way,  
but on the other hand a number of  
such mutilated pieces might be  
superb considering the standards  
which must be applied to Afghanis-  
tan early issues.Few countries had well-centered  
issues. Centering of the perfora-  
tions came about only in later years  
when collectors began clamoring  
for it and machines, processes andrevised plate-layouts made well  
centered stamps possible.The term condition also applies  
to the appearance of the stamp.  
Is it torn, repaired, face scuffed,  
perfs nubbed or creased? If it is  
then condition points are lost.  
Judges do have to look at stamps  
if they are going to be honest in  
the awarding of points for Condi-  
tion. They can't just walk by a dis-  
play and make up their minds.What I have written here is prob-  
ably more on the "advice to  
judges" side of the picture. But  
I think collectors can profit since  
it is through the eyes of judges,  
conscientious and honest ones, they  
will or will not win an award.You have to work with your ma-  
terial, visit stamp shows for ideas,  
and spend money to build an award  
winner. There is no easy way.Next time we get some space  
here we can take up other phases  
of exhibiting and exhibitions. If  
you have any suggestions what  
you'd like to have covered, tell me.

1. The 30c of 1869.
2. The Red Cross commem of  
1952.

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Stamp and Coin Society, Ft.  
Bliss, Texas, announces the  
scheduling of their Fifth Annual  
Philatelic Exhibition to be held  
there in November. Exact dates  
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"Stamp Collector's Handbook" contains the usual history, information on stamp printing, aids in identifying "mysterious" stamps, a conversion table of foreign monies to cents, and a few examples of how stamps have grown in value. The author's comparison of face value of older stamps with their current catalog values (which are listed as "present value") will disappoint a few hopefuls when they try to sell their prizes. This is offset somewhat

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## Chinese Republic Mothers' Day Pair

A set of stamps which might be classified as a Mothers' Day issue was released by the Republic of China on Formosa on May 12. The Chinese Postal Administration has tabbed them with the title of "Sublimity of Mother's Teaching".

The 40c green pictures Men-cius (372-289 B. C.) receiving his mother's injunction for devoted study. On the \$3 burnt sienna is to be seen the mother of Marshal Yueh Fei (1103-1141 A. D.) impressing the latter with the virtue of loyalty to his country.

Both designs, conceived by Liao Wei-lin, are illustrative of two famous stories in Chinese history. Engravers of the dies were Li Ping-chien (40c), and Chen Lien-hui (\$3).

Printing was performed at the China Engraving and Printing Works at Taipei, on ungummed paper, perf 11½, in a quantity of 2,500,000 each stamp.

## ORGANIZATION

(Continued from page 1)

miral Harris in September 1950, our beloved Theodore E. Steinway took over the chairmanship, on the condition that a new chairman be elected in March of the following year. At that time John H. Hall was elected chairman, and yours truly vice-chairman. Alfred H. Caspary consented to become a Trustee and subsequently became honorary chairman.

In 1951 regular weekly budgets of questions were received from "The Voice of America". The advice given was used in connection with the service that the "Voice" was giving.

During the Exhibition of CAPEX in Toronto in 1951, the Foundation gave fourteen lectures.

In April 1952 Sir John Wilson accepted the invitation of the Foundation to become an honorary member of the Expert Committee. In early August the Foundation suffered the untimely loss of our esteemed chairman John H. Hall. Due to the increasing demands on the services of our organization it was decided to engage Ethel Harper as assistant to the acting chairman. At the next annual meeting, the acting chairman was made chairwoman.

In connection with the authentication of postage stamps and through the good offices of the

ASDA a parallel trade panel was set up to meet monthly to go over all the items sent in to the Philatelic Foundation. I would like to take this opportunity to express to them and to all those independent professionals my thanks for their loyal continued work.

In September 1953 our first members' bulletin was published, and has continued to be issued quarterly. In November, it was deemed advisable to review our membership classes, resulting in the addition of a new class of \$25 Contributing membership.

Through the auspices of the Canadian Broadcasting Corp. "Stamp Club of the Air" Program, fifteen broadcasts have been made since 1953, on the Philatelic Foundation, its aims and achievements, and on other aspects of philately.

In 1954 the Foundation was approached to give advice regarding a television program called "Industry on Parade" produced by the National Association of Manufacturers. A film was made including the Expert Committee at work. This was shown over some 250 television stations throughout the country during the year.

The publication of the text book, "The Foundations of Philately" was finally realized in 1955. This book, which Mr. Boggs worked on over a period of years, and which is edited by Arnold Strange, was a project close to the hearts of all the Trustees. It was published

simultaneously in England and in the U. S. A. Every prospective stamp collector should own a copy.

This institution is not a regional narrow-minded affair. It has been envisioned as a national institution, expanding its program as time and funds permit. We have a healthy program, although a modest one, that is growing with every passing year. In due course we hope to have a home of our own, as we are hard put for space in the Collectors Club Bldg.

As you all know, research in any field of endeavor is an expensive one. This program of ours has been and is being supported and financed by a small interested group of devoted people. Unfortunately there are not many people in this world with altruistic motives; many more are anxious for the promotion of self, and many more criticize much more readily than constructively go to work. We need all of you to help in order to put this organization on the scale that it should be. You will help yourself by helping the Philatelic Foundation. Everyone who has a stake in philately today should support this organization. Everyone can benefit by it. In supporting this institution you are helping directly to uphold a high standard of integrity in philately. Certainly, everyone who collects and sells stamps, is, and should be, interested in this!

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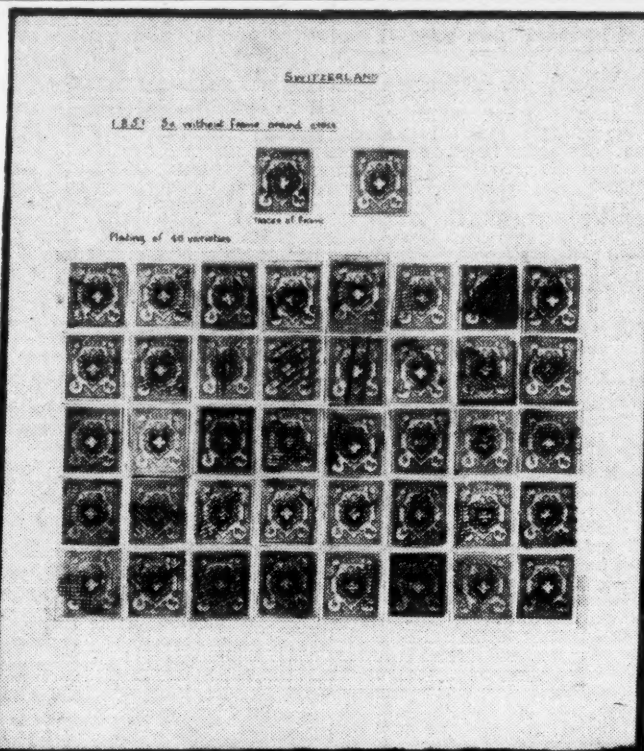
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Each day the material received is examined as it comes in by the resident staff, under whose direction, if necessary, certain items are forwarded for consultation, to individual experts in their respective fields, who assist the Expert Committee in its work.

One week before the Foundation Expert Committee meets, the Trade Advisory Panel sits, and examines every item, noting their opinions on the work sheet relating to each "patient".

It is not out of place to mention here that all the members of the Foundation Expert Committee and of the Trade Advisory Panel, and all consultants give voluntarily of their time, knowledge, experience and studies - the time given amounting to many hours work each month.

The extensive reference collections and records owned by the Foundation form the basis for the comparison and research in relation to the material sent in for examination. These include the "John N. Luff" Stamps of the World (contained in over two hundred volumes), the "Peplow" Japan, the "John H. Hall" Spain, the "Samuel Israel" Cuba, specialized Argentina and U. S. A. Precancels, etc.

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The scientific instruments used by the Expert Committee in their intensive examination include the analytic lamp, the fluorescent lamp, the micrometer, various finely adjusted microscopes, a powerful comparison microscope, and the use of ultra-violet ray and specialized camera work. Do not imagine that precision instruments and scientific devices can in any way replace expert philatelic knowledge. The latter can only be gained by years of experience and intensive study. The apparatus merely extends the orbit of one's senses, enabling measurements and analyses to be made more accurately.

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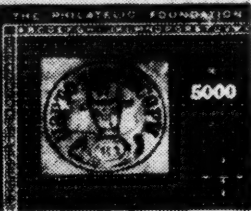
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Most of the application forms  
we receive with items for exami-  
nation ask, "Is the item genuine  
in all respects?" If the "patient"  
proves to be other than genuine,  
the Certificate states what it is,  
i.e., "Counterfeit", "Repaired"

(and where), "Fraudulent sur-  
charge", "Faked perforations" or  
"Fraudulent cancellation".

We do avoid "an auction ex-  
pression" in the opinion expressed  
on the Certificate, and as far as  
possible adhere to a report which  
answers the specific question ask-  
ed. However, there is no hard and  
fast rule that can be applied to  
anything in this life, and certain  
items must be handled on their in-  
dividual merits and demerits.

Where a stamp is genuine but  
creased or thinned, for instance,  
that description will occur in the  
data on the application form for  
identification purposes in any case.  
(Where the owner does not refer  
to such a fault, we do in our  
acknowledgement form). This de-  
scription is transferred to the body  
of the Certificate when it is finally  
made out. Thus the precaution  
that is needed to prevent repair  
or improvement being made after  
the Certificate is issued, is safe-  
guarded. The defect, if any, is not  
included in the actual opinion ex-  
pressed by the Committee unless  
specifically called for.

We sometimes get forms com-  
pleted with the inquiry, "Is this  
a genuine stamp but repaired at  
top right corner?" or, "Is this a  
genuine stamp reperforated at bot-  
tom?" or, "Is this a genuine stamp  
with a faked cancellation?" etc.,  
etc. Sometimes, even when such  
a defect or repair is very obvious,  
an item is submitted for a Certifi-  
cate, presumably by someone who  
wishes to convince someone else,  
or by someone who feels the need  
to have his own views confirmed.

"Our's not to reason why. . ."

Occasionally we are asked to  
state whether we consider an item  
a "good copy", or an "excellent  
copy" on the Certificate. We do  
not include in the opinion ex-  
pressed on the Certificate any refer-  
ence to a degree of perfection of this  
nature. In any case, human beings  
being what they are, opinions of  
perfection may not be shared by  
any two people. Whether a stamp  
is fair, good or superb, it may  
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## The Philatelic Foundation Reference Collections Are Tremendous Reservoir Of Data

Henry M. Goodkind

Philately is about 100 years old. Already many collectors think the time is near when some stamps will become "museum pieces". Thus a trend has been developing where some collectors have donated all or a part of their philatelic holdings to a non-profit institution such as a university, library, or a museum. This has been stimulated in recent years not only by the desire to leave a stamp collection as public property, but also by the new tax laws.

On the other hand, some collectors are firmly opposed to the donation of stamp collections to public institutions. They sincerely feel that philately is a highly possessive hobby. Since a collector derives great pleasure from ownership of fine philatelic material, he believes that this should be continued. So after an owner has decided to discontinue certain collections, or after his death, the stipulation is made that the properties are to be sold to permit others to enjoy this personal pride of ownership, rather than donated to a tax-free institution.

Consequently we see that there is a split right down the middle over this matter. To give or not to give—that is the question!



Canadian stamps of 1954 autographed by their designer, the late Emanuel Hahn. These are in the Philatelic Foundation reference collections.

However, according to this writer's view, this question is not one of black and white, because the whole matter hinges upon the type of institution selected as the recipient of stamp collections. Philatelic property is only understood by philatelists. Thus a stamp collection may be given to a leading university, library or museum which has no philatelic curators or advisors. The consequence is that the collections generally become buried in a basement. For all intents and purposes such wonderful collections might just as well have been destroyed; they are completely forgotten.

Thus if one decides to donate all or part of his collection to a non-profit institution, one must select wisely. One should say to oneself — "Where can I donate my philatelic properties so that they will be put to the greatest use?" The answer is the Philatelic Foundation, 22 E. 35th St., New York 16, N. Y., because this is the institution operated and supervised by philatelists for philatelists.

You are invited to visit our headquarters and see for yourself the daily activity with stamps in the Philatelic Foundation's offices. There is rarely a day that some parts of the reference collections are not in use. Who uses them?

It may be members of the Philatelic Foundation's own Expert Committee whose activities are described elsewhere. It may be a catalog editor who wishes to check

some of his listings. It may be a postal official seeking some information that is not in governmental archives. But most often it is the ordinary stamp collector or dealer, who is seeking some information. And finally, it could be a writer, who in order to seek all the facts, has been advised to consult the Philatelic Foundation's reference collections.

So it is that every weekday from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. at the Philatelic Foundation's offices some helpful piece of information is made available upon request.

The Philatelic Foundation is a public institution supported by philatelists which through its Reference Collections preserves philatelic knowledge and arranges for philatelists' right to its free use.

The institution is a little over 10 years old. In this decade or so, the following important collections have been donated to the Philatelic Foundation to further its objectives. These are:

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have greatly aided the pursuit of philatelic scholarship. A number of these donors have requested anonymity for various reasons. Frequently this might be because the donor is giving some duplicate material. Were it announced, many might infer that a collector was disposing of his collection, which is not the case.

The records of a life time of research by Stanley B. Ashbrook have been acquired by the Foundation. These thirty-two filing cabinets house thousands of index cards, meticulously classified, so that all data on United States and Confederate States postage stamps prior to 1870 is readily available. Such a record is absolutely irreplaceable, and in securing this valuable property the Foundation has preserved the monumental researches of an outstanding philatelic student, that others may have the advantage of his work, knowledge and skill. All too often the stamp student's knowledge, notes and collections are dissipated at his death and a wealth of information is lost to posterity.

Furthermore, a most essential part of the Philatelic Foundation reference collections is 66 volumes with photographs of stamps and covers from all over the world. These are all mounted by country according to *Scott Catalog* numbers. Many are a series of photographs of one stamp done with direct and indirect lighting with ultra-violet and infra-red rays. Being scientifically photographed they are of the greatest philatelic value.

It must be realized that the Philatelic Foundation is not a philatelic society or stamp club. It is a public institution serving all philately in America. Its service can become important to you, and you can be of equal importance to the Foundation. How?

First of all, by donating philatelic reference material for the preservation of knowledge. It need not necessarily be valuable properties. It can be a few stamps, covers, cancellations, postmarkings, photographs, literature, or even letters relating to the issuance of stamps or their postal use.

And finally, in order to make this reference material constantly available to the philatelic public, an adequate staff of knowledgeable philatelists must be hired. The Reference Collections must be kept in order and up-to-date just like your own collection. An unsorted accumulation of material is completely valueless. So your financial support is urgent to maintain these Reference Collections. Picture yourself at this very moment desiring to consult the Luff Reference Collection. You come to the Philatelic Foundation's offices, but are told that this collection cannot be made available to you because there is no one available at the time to get it for you.

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When something unpleasant happens to us, however great or small, it appears almost natural to be relieved if we can find someone to blame for it. Many times we may be partially at fault. At other times the situation may be entirely out of our hands and leave us very little or no control over it to correct the matter.

In stamp collecting it is commonly known that the principal difference between the stamp that goes into a collection and that which is used for postage is good centering. When below a minimum standard the stamp, block or plate block would be considered unacceptable or unsatisfactory for philatelic purposes if not centered.

Probably the most common complaint among collectors is centering and that usually varies from the mildest tone to a violent protest, depending on the individual's critical point of view. Having dealt in the plate block field for a long time the experiences have varied over the years—many situations were easily explained away while others were quite agonizing to all concerned. Considering the total number of collectors, which runs into many thousands, it still remains a fact that the dissatisfaction with poor centering is seldom heard from more than a small percentage. It is not, however, taken for granted that most of the other collectors do not take notice of poor centering. If presented in a reasonable and a sensible manner perhaps something can be done to correct this situation.

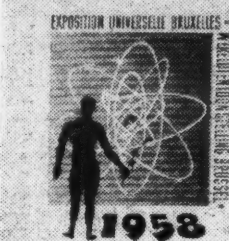
For the benefit of collectors to whom this subject may be new, the simplest way I like to describe centering is as follows. When you hang a photograph or a picture in any room in your house, whether you look at it from close or distant range, you can easily and quickly detect when it is improperly hung. Where the picture is not exactly in the center of the mat of the frame, or where the entire picture and frame unit is tilted slightly, so that it is not perpendicular to the floor, you readily notice when it is off in the slightest degree. The same principle holds true with the postage stamp and the plate block. The best looking blocks are those where the perforations are close to the center of the gutter between both rows of stamps.

We are aware that much progress has been made by the Bureau of Engraving and Printing over the many years that U. S. postage stamps have been printed. Just a look at the stamps of many years ago, all the way up to the current printing, and the difference is immediately noticeable. Along with that the printing equipment has been improved considerably, all with aim of producing good looking, well centered stamps, speedily and economically.

Too often, and conveniently, the centering of stamps is discussed with reference to issues of the past. As such, the reader will seldom be affected very much because the discussion is about a situation which took place some time ago and matters of such a nature can easily be read with calm emotions.

This time I would like to call your attention to a recent development where, rather surprisingly, it has made me wonder why so much off centered commemorative material has been circulating. In few words, it is easy to refresh your mind to the fact that in the last few years, with rare exception, almost all the commemorative issues have come through beautifully centered. By beautiful centering I mean that should you have an occasion to look through a number of sheets most of them will be nicely centered, some not so bad and very few might be less than good.

Many times, I have heard from disgruntled collectors who seemed to put the blame for poor centering on the stamp clerk in their post office. That seems to be very common. There are times where a similar dissatisfaction may be expressed about plate blocks or sheets received from the Philatelic Agency. In truth the blame can not be placed on its doorstep either, for the Agency, or even many of the smaller philatelic windows in other cities have selected clerks for the main purpose of picking out desirable material for collectors. The only apparent conclusion, upon seeing hundreds and



**FAIR FEATURE.** At the World Exposition at Brussels, Belgium many displays are directed to living in the atomic age, and current scientific experiments in the nuclear field. A feature of the fair is the "atomium", an abstract bit of construction shown on both stamps which Belgium issued April 17 in honor of the exposition. The 2fr is red and the 4fr blue. Marcel Poisson of Antwerp, Belgium sent the cover.

thousands of sheets of any particular stamp which appeared to be running consistently poor and off-centered, is that perhaps something may have happened in the course of the printing that is responsible for it.

For specific reference I am alluding to the last four plate numbers for the additional reprinting of the Polio stamp.

The first printing with the first four plates was centered very nicely, as have been most of the commemoratives in the last couple years. The second group of four plate numbers was almost like a nightmare by comparison. The last time that such consistently poor centering was seen was 1948, the year when we had almost a flood of new issues within a very short space of time.

The first four plate numbers on Polio, first issued in January 1957, were 25603, 25604, 25605 and 25606. So that you may recognize them, the additional four plates of Polio, which went to press the last days of February, were 25647, 25648, 25651 and 25652. What a horrible contrast between these four and the first four!

When I first saw a few hundred "selected" sheets, it was hard to believe the marked difference, but after seeing quite a few thousand sheets, all agency stock and from all positions, then the confirmation was positive. I did feel the necessity of bringing this matter to your attention in case you might be dead set against accepting anything short of the very best centering.

To what, and on whom would you place the blame? I wouldn't know, would you?

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Winthrop S. Boggs

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An idea of its extent can be realized when we tell you that it occupies some 225 feet of shelving,

and that there are well over 3000 individual titles in books and booklets, in addition to files of all the important periodicals amounting to upwards of another thousand volumes. There are also several hundred catalogues of all the great sales, such as the "Worthington", "Blair", "Ferrari", "Hind", "Brown", "Green", "Caspary" and many others. There are a number of the specialized catalogues of various countries as well.

An example of the practical application, one out of many, to which the library is put, resulted in the establishment of an uncatalogued variety: There was submitted to the Expert Committee a United States Postal Card overprinted "Porto Rico" similar to card Scott #UX1, but the type face resembled that on envelopes Scott #U1 and #U2. Careful comparison of the card with the envelopes indicated that the overprint was genuine but no reference could be found to it in the various catalogues or available notes. In our library, however, we found in the "Metropolitan Philatelist" for November 1899 an article which showed that along with the locally overprinted envelopes, 13,000 of the 1c card were also overprinted. When a supply of envelopes was received from the Bureau of Engraving and Printing, Washington, D. C., it was discovered that the overprint was slightly different, in that it was on envelopes different in design from the locally overprinted one. The difference between the local overprint and the Bureau overprint escaped notice until now, because the postal card was of the same design.

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## Philatelic Foundation Future Keyed To Various Projects Of An Informational Nature

Henry E. Abt

Readers of this magazine in metropolitan New York, and perhaps quite a few who reside elsewhere, may have noted with interest a full page advertisement in the *New York Times*, Thursday, February 21 placed by the weekly news magazine, *Time*. The advertisement reproduced a page from the Oxford English Dictionary headed "KNOW". Traced down the ages, from Greek and Latin, through Old English and Middle English; and related to kindred words in contemporary vocabularies of several European countries, were the roots of the words "know" and "knowledge".

The substance of the advertisement was that the words "ken" (know) and "can" (be able to) have common origin, each word giving implication to the other.

*Time* magazine, of course, was advertising to encourage the consistent reading of its pages as a source of capacity; the power to cope better with the problems and opportunities that make up our daily lives. To quote one sentence from the text:

"People who know also have vigorous lives; they are the people with the instinct to master something, to enjoy it, perhaps to excel in it."

No more fitting summation could have been written of the purposes and aspirations of the small group of far-seeing and sapient philatelists who, in 1945, established the Philatelic Foundation. No more revealing key could be given to the potential service of this non-profit enterprise if, today and in the future, it is properly supported and directed.

The founders saw clearly the fact that the essential ingredient of every kind of satisfaction that philately offers, be it pleasure or pecuniary gain, rests in the verb "to know". A simple proof of the significance of knowledge to stamp collectors is the familiar comment of un-knowing wives or husbands, children, neighbors, business associates and others in the environment of almost every collector, who with utmost sincerity say:

"I cannot understand what he (or she) sees in those little pieces of paper"; or

"I cannot understand why those bits of paper are worth the money spent for them."

Stamps, covers, and other kinds of postal material, without the significance given to them by a century of cumulative study and learning, would indeed be the most worthless of all commodities. An individual philatelic piece, by actual weight, is a small fraction of an ounce. Its intrinsic value is an even much smaller fraction of a penny. A little piece of paper, as such, is certainly unstimulating, uninspiring and unrewarding aesthetically, intellectually or emotionally.

The history of stamp collecting, today all too little known to those engaged in the pursuit, vividly bears out the relationship of the words "ken" and "can enjoy".

At first, in the mid-1850's adhesives stamps for franking mail were little more than novelties. They were set aside, tossed into boxes or otherwise retained without plan, order or serious consideration only because they were unfamiliar. Some countries in which they were first saved had already used them for as many as fifteen years. In many more places, they were innovations of only ten or five years, or perhaps the previous month.

Early philatelic lore tells of ladies, attracted by the colors and designs of stamps, who pasted them on surfaces to decorate room screens, lamp shades and other home furnishings. One shudders to think of the gems that must thus have been destroyed.

To know or ken there must precede, "to learn"; and to learn there must be the condition of curiosity. It is man's blessing and source of his unique powers that most of his species is born curious.

The very possession of stamps, with their unfamiliar languages, their assortment of images and their variety of colors soon aroused their owners' curiosity. From that beginning came the long, never-ending assortment, search for background and usage, examination of detailed characteristics and the recording of the enormous body of fact that now makes it possible even for the juvenile beginner to mount stamps in order, learn from them and enjoy them; and for the mature philatelist to group them in infinite variety, discover new implications and derive from them deep and rewarding satisfactions.

At the beginning there was nothing at all to guide collectors: no literature, no classification, no repository of information concerning the practices and purposes of the many postal administrations, even those of the immediate country in which the collector lived. The refinements of classification proceeded slowly; first color, then

denomination, later perforation, gum, paper, postal history, rates and cancellations.

Destroy today all the catalogues, the handbooks and full length volumes, the periodicals and printed albums (the latter reflecting, after all, only the sum of the knowledge recorded in philatelic literature) and we would be back again to worthless paper, save only for the recollections of a passing generation. It should never be forgotten that the solid base of fact on which our philatelic pleasure depends has been built by the prodigious labors of literally thousands of people in successive generations, unto and including our time.

It was the conviction of those who established the Philatelic Foundation that, substantial though the progress had been, the surface only had been scratched; that the advance of the satisfaction and gain offered by this pursuit must depend on the further mining of the ore of philatelic knowledge and, if possible, acceleration of the process. It was also their belief, with confirmation in many areas of scholarship, that

knowledge flourishes when it is provided with an inspirational center and repository, correlating and stimulating its advance; and offering incentives and rewards for the time and energy of those who would advance it. The dissemination of such knowledge would also be a function of such a center. Sequestered knowledge would defeat its own purpose.

The great universities of the world offered models. The aspiration of the Philatelic Foundation was, and is, to be an "American University of Philately".

Oxford, Cambridge, Harvard, Yale, Princeton, Stanford, Cornell, Edinburgh and the others of comparable stature were not built in a few years. The paths of their progress were tortuous and rugged. But the need for their services and the vision and faith of their leaderships, in each instance, overcame the obstacles that confronted them. So, perhaps, may be achieved the destiny of the Philatelic Foundation.

The best known service of the Foundation, up to the present time, has been in correlating and establishing a repository for information concerning individual philatelic specimens. The value of The Expert Committee, in the broader concept of the Foundation, is not primarily the service it renders to those who submit items for expertization. This observation is intended to be derogatory to that service. The separation of the genuine from the spurious in the accumulations of philately is, itself, a stabilizing function that heightens the confidence of collectors and discourages the ever-present temptation to manufacture and trade in dross.

Of enduring importance, however, is the fact that close to 8000 specific pieces of philatelic material have been photographed and their distinctive characteristics

recorded. An active "clinic", like those in hospitals and medical schools whence the medical profession is constantly enhancing its knowledge, is now serving to enhance the "ken" and "can" of the philatelic community.

The Expert Committee, however, is conceived to be just a beginning. Some day, soon we hope, the major areas of study must be defined and "departmentalized" as they are in schools of higher learning; and, as the founders envisioned them, projects manned by wholly competent students must be financed, directed and correlated by this "University of Philately".

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## Philatelic Exhibitions

Ethel Harper

In another feature in this issue, you will read about the Philatelic Foundation's collections, and the various ways in which they are used from a direct study and research angle. As a chartered educational institution, the Foundation endeavors to aid the dissemination of philatelic knowledge, within the current scope of its powers and resources, that others may benefit, and that more collectors may be drawn to the hobby.

A stamp exhibition, whether arranged by a local stamp club or a national or international group, surely provides the finest medium to publicize our hobby. Stamp collecting is a wonderful companion. No collector can be lonely in the company of his friends, in the stamp album. It is one of the hobbies that can be pursued alone happily. Few, if any, other pastimes show the high reward of pleasure, relaxation and increased knowledge.

However, there comes a time when a collector naturally wants to discuss his philatelic interests and problems with others, and to share in their too. What finer opportunity is provided than a stamp exhibition? To those who live in a city or fairly large community, and who have a stamp club or meeting to go to, the fact may not be too vivid that some collectors rely almost entirely on mail contacts for their outside philatelic nourishment and encouragement.

But it is a fact. Were it not for the regular stamp shows of perhaps, one day, two days, or a week's duration, a great deal of pleasure and philatelic education would be denied to many collectors, simply because their livelihood, or some similar reason compels them to live "off the beaten track". They will happily pack their bags, and make a special journey, frequently, of some considerable distance, for a few hours or days with kindred spirits.

Stamp exhibitions help beginners to see different ways of mounting and arranging, give them ideals of perfection at which to aim and frequently open new avenues of study, of which they may otherwise remain quite ignorant.

During the last decade the Philatelic Foundation has contributed to such exhibitions whenever possible. The studies and collections that have been entrusted to this institution have been displayed, so that others may benefit from the original donor's work.

For instance the Philatelic Foundation has contributed exhibits by invitation, to such local enterprises as:

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## Europe Imperf Classics Catalog

The Imperforate Classic Postal Stamps of Europe by Edwin Mueller, the first catalog of its kind, was published in Austria on May 15. Linen bound, 168 pages, it contains prices for unused (with and without gum) and used stamps, on piece and cover, unused and used multiples (pairs, strips of 3 and blocks of 4), margin and corner copies, as well as all major varieties of the plates, printing, paper, color and gum.

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The postal stationery contemporary to the imperforate adhesives also is listed and priced. In addition, a dictionary, helping to translate the English text of the catalog into French and German, is provided.

This first edition was almost completely sold out by subscription before publication. The few copies remaining are available to the public at \$6.50 each, postpaid. Order from your dealer or send cash with order to the U. S. agents, Mercury Stamp Co., 522 Fifth Ave., New York 36, N. Y. Allow time for delivery via registered mail from Austria.

## Notes From The Italian Area

Pierson Ostrow

Faced with the practical alternative of withdrawing or replacing the impractical chalky paper used for the recent UN commemoratives, the Italian government has chosen to re-issue the set on new paper. The reprint colors are somewhat brighter, the gum is slightly tinted, and, above all, the paper is thinner and better suited to postal use.

It now seems virtually certain that an Italian set will be re-issued this year in honor of Antonio Canova, sculptor and papal diplomat of the 18th century. If plans go according to schedule, the stamps will utilize the vignette of Canova used for the 10 Lire Vatican stamp of 1944.

Other hoped-for commemoratives — St. Francis of Paola, a new "European Unity" issue, Highway Safety, and a stamp for Children.

Meanwhile, a crop of new errors — from Vatican as well as Italy — is reported:

The 25L "Coin" stamp with star-watermark has been found imperforate.

The 10L Vatican stamp of 1929 (Scott No. 13) is reported with the printing so incomplete that the entire phrase "Poste Vaticane" is missing.

There is a constant variety in the plate of one of the re-issues of the current 5L Vatican "Pope" stamps. It consists of a period before the word "Romano" in the inscription "Il Sepolceto Romano" and occurs on the 40th stamp of the pane.

The 65L Italian "Al Lavoro" stamp has been re-issued with star watermark — an unexpected development, since the entire trend up to this moment has been towards replacing all "Al Lavoro" designs with the smaller "coin" format.

## Prado Museum Paintings On Stamps

Margaret Marcus describes the world-famous collection of paintings in the Prado Museum, Madrid, in the latest issue of the "Fine Arts Philatelist". The author who is supervisor of research at the Cleveland Museum of Art, and also conducts her own radio program on the arts, cites more than 69 stamps from some ten countries, all showing gems from the Spanish collection.

Now in its third year of publication, the "Fine Arts Philatelist" also features in this issue the semipostal emissions of France since 1938. As it has in the past, this little journal continues to publish the results of painstaking research into the origin of stamp designs relating to architecture, painting, and sculpture. For the French semipostal group, there are more than 30 artists and masterpieces identified which have never before been noted in the philatelic press.

Subscription to the "Fine Arts Philatelist" is still only \$1 annually. It is available from Beatrice Berner, Apt. 8-H, 200 E. 36th St., New York 16, N. Y. Sample copies may be obtained for 25c (coins or stamps) and back volumes also are available.

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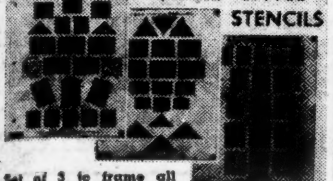
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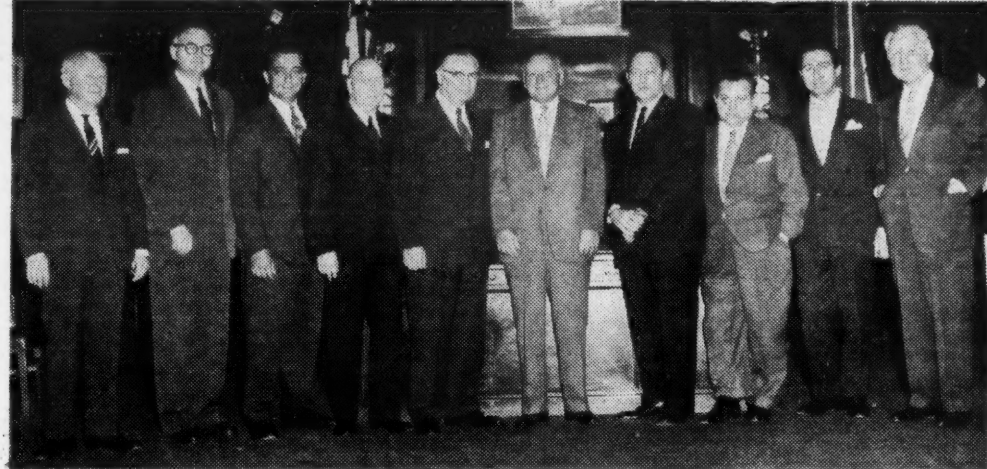
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- Citrus Tax Stamps are the most common, but some of the earlier issues as well as high values of other issues are quite scarce.
- A few months ago I ran across a beautiful collection of Florida Tax Stamps. I doubt if there is another collection of these stamps that will equal this one I found. With the collection was also an accumulation of about

## A QUARTER OF A MILLION FLORIDA TAX STAMPS.

- Most of this accumulation was Citrus Fruit Tax stamps and I doubt if there is another such accumulation in existence. There are over a dozen different types of stamps with values ranging up to as high as \$20.00. The two which are illustrated here in actual size are CITRUS STAMPS for any Citrus Fruit. Other issues are specifically for Oranges, Grapefruit or Tangerines.

## COLLECTING STATE TAX STAMPS

has become quite a hobby and there are many who have made quite large collections.

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- Now that I have this big accumulation I am going to share it with collectors of State Tax Stamps. Perhaps you were one of those who wanted to buy one of the lots of 100 mixtures that I offered some time ago and for which I had over 1600 orders and had to refund over \$7500.00. This time you should not be disappointed for I have made these Florida State Tax Stamps up into three different size packets or collections. I have been able to make over 1000 packets of 30 varieties. Over 500 more packets of 49 varieties and a quantity of packets of 75 varieties. In the whole accumulation there are about 100 varieties. So if you order any of these packets and then want to try to round out your collection I can submit others, the scarcer ones on approval at attractive prices.

## HOW ABOUT THE PRICE?

- If these packets were catalogued and listed by any priced catalog of these stamps I believe that each of them would catalog at least ten times the price I have put on these packets. I have no use for this large lot of these stamps. I want to share them with others. The work of making up these packets means hour after hour of sorting and assembling so that the prices are little more than compensation for the labor, but I want to sell them at a low price and share the lot with others who care for such stamps. Thus give you a bargain that you will appreciate.

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## Memphis Collector Plane Victim In Iraq

Jack R. Nash, internationally known philatelist of Memphis, Tenn., was killed April 20 while on a world tour. On the night plane from Teheran to Istanbul, he was blasted through a window at 18,000 ft. when the glass shattered without warning. His body was recovered and flown home for burial.

Mr. Nash was a member of various national philatelic groups and a frequent exhibitor of fine material. His specialized Jordan was probably the most complete in existence. Only 31, he is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Nash, also of Memphis.

### EXPERTIZING SERVICE (Continued from page 9)

a full body of recognized authorities, and representing every specialized branch of philately, on a regular monthly basis. Further, none has available the fine collections, library and other reference material; and in addition the access to the private collections and the resources of other national expert committees on a reciprocal basis, as has the Philatelic Foundation Expert Committee.

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## Dealer ★ ★ Doings

Martin Bostrom, Hertig Karlsalle 59B, Orebro, Sweden recently offered covers used by the Swedish military contingent serving with the United Nations armed forces in the Israel-Egypt hot spot. Due to the tremendous demand for these and the difficulty of getting supplies on any kind of schedule he asks the indulgence of purchasers for the delay.

Harmer, Rooke & Co., 560 Fifth Ave., New York 36, N. Y., philatelic auctioneers, were commissioned to sell the Fred Liebeck collections. The firm's original generous estimates of what the financial realization might be were exceeded by \$7344 — they figured \$122,000 — actual \$129,344. Material was top-notch U. S. and general foreign.

The world's first exclusive Ryukyu auction sale is announced for June 26 by Academy Stamps, Inc., 1766 N.W. Seventh St., Miami 35, Fla. The 343 lots feature many rarities and historical items. Actual photographic illustrations make the catalog a reference work; price 50c, including list of prices realized after the sale.

E. J. Quinn, announces his removal to new and larger quarters at 2700 W. Cheltenham Ave., Philadelphia 19, Pa. He has a fine stock of Israel, Vatican City and UN. Offered is a new price list of Vatican City for 10c, deductible from the first order. He promises prompt service, no substitutions; satisfaction or refund.

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Ray Brown, writer about stamps and dealer in books and things philatelic in Williamsburg, Va., says he is only six miles from Jamestown and would be ye genial host to visiting firemen and Jamestown visitors of the coming season. He has a complete line of stamps and supplies in the Ferguson-White Print Shop, on S. Henry St.

Now available is the third edition of Alfred B. Fahsing's highly instructive book on operating a stamp business profitably. "How It Was Accomplished" describes his own trial-and-error education in the game, and gives details of how he climbed into the black ink column. \$2 from him, Paradise Valley, Atascadero, Cal.

"The Truth about United Nations—Israel Stamps" is the lead article in the very first issue of "The Rowland Hill Journal". A second article gives life facts on Sir Rowland Hill; philatelic offers and catchy cartoons are numerous. It's an interesting publication—write Box 45, Brownsville Sta., Brooklyn 12, N. Y. for a sample copy.

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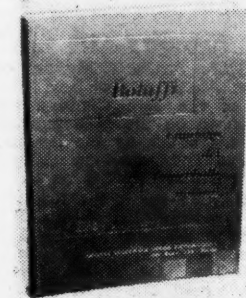
The Mosden Catalog for the Postage Stamps of the State of Israel is in a 1957 edition and available from Jacob Habib, 154 Nassau St. (Room 1217), New York 38, N. Y. at \$2.50 per copy postpaid. It is published by the Mosden Stamp Co., London, England.

This Mosden might be considered a reference book which meets all the requirements for a collector who wants the nation in all its philatelic aspects. The regulars and commems are fully pictured with tabs and where they exist tete beche. Annotations besides the valuations include the dates of issue and withdrawal, the designer and printer and size of the panes or sheets.

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Ethel Harper

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Through the generosity of our then current chairman, Adm. Frederic R. Harris, an early dream was realized, when on October 6, 1948, the Foundation's first publication appeared, "The Postage Stamps and Postal History of Hawaii". It is without doubt the finest and most complete study ever published on the subject. This volume represents the combined years of study and research of the late Adm. Harris, Henry A. Meyer, J. Davey, John K. Bash and others. Its chapters deal with Postal History, Postal Rates, Cancellations, Essays, Proofs, Postal Stationery and Postage Stamps, with a section devoted to known fakes and forgeries.

There are over 400 pages, 175 illustrations, and is a book in which interest abounds, not only for the student of Hawaii, but for all who seek adventure and knowledge in the pursuit of stamp collecting and its many facets. (Price \$6; a few copies are still available from the Foundation.)

Almost at once work was commenced on the preparation of the text book — a publication that had long been envisioned as an official handbook of the Philatelic Foundation.

"The Foundations of Philately," on which Winthrop S. Boggs and others had worked for several years, and which was edited by Arnold Strange, was published simultaneously in the U.S. and Britain in the Fall of 1955. It is a complete encyclopedia of philately, covering every phase of collecting from the simplest principles to the details of specialization. It is the authoritative guide for the beginner and a source of accurate information for the expert.

Part I is a concise, accurate and interesting story of the historical background and growth of the postal service.

Part II consists of practical guidance on ways and means of collecting on building a collection, on the catalogues and their proper use, on the care of a collection, and much other necessary and useful information of a practical nature.

Part III is concerned with how stamps are made, and provides a detailed description of every method used in the production of postage stamps. It also explains the various papers, watermarks, gums and separations employed. There is also a chapter on postal markings.

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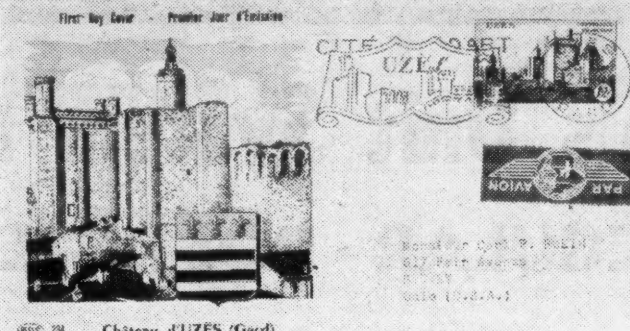
Another of the publications anticipated by the founders materialized in September 1953 — "The Members Bulletin." A periodical for distribution to supporters of the Foundation had been in the minds of the Trustees and Officers for some time. Of modest appearance, this four-page leaflet is issued quarterly. One contemporary has described it thus: "it is a members' bulletin, and its four pages are crammed with information. . . ."

Each number includes illustrative informative notes on some of the interesting findings of the Expert Committee, reports on any new discoveries that may have come to light, and an occasional word of caution regarding misleading fakes and forgeries. Space is devoted to the participation in exhibitions, the election of officers, the appointment of trustees, and in the small space available, within our limited resources, we endeavor to give our members a quarterly report of the activities of their Institution.

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During its years of development, the Foundation has put out a number of informative booklets and brochures, (which are, or have been, available for free distribution) entitled:—

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**CITY OF ART.** On April 27 France issued a 12fr commémorative to bring attention to the City of Uzès in the southern province of Gard. In sepia and blue it pictures the castle of Uzès and other buildings of the town. A special pictorial cancellation was applied at Uzès the day of issue, in a scroll form, which pictures towers of the castle, and the legend, "Cité d'Art/Uzès". Pierre A. Cubells, 2 Rue des Gravières, Soissons, France sent the cover.

## First Day Riots Tel Aviv, Israel

"Lick your own" first day cover fans everywhere will appreciate a news story just received from reader Donald D. Snider, Oak Park, Mich. The item comes from one of the English language papers in Israel, the "Jerusalem Post" of April 29 —

Women fainted, clothing was ripped and fist fights broke out again and again yesterday as crowds stampeded in the Central Post Office in Tel Aviv to buy first day issues of the new Independence Day stamp and the stamp commemorating the jubilee of the Bezalel National Museum, as well as the commemorative covers which the postal authorities issued.

Elsewhere in the country similar scenes took place as crowds of would-be buyers flocked into post offices causing bedlam and forcing police to "guard" post offices so as to prevent serious disorders.

"This is absolute madness," a Tel Aviv post office employee remarked, "I've never seen anything like it in all my nine years service." When the doors of the post office opened a vast crowd surged buying as many of the new stamps as they could, although an official "ceiling" for individual stamp purchases had been fixed.

### Counter Broken

At Tel Aviv a solid counter in the post office was burst open by the mass of buyers and a nearby shop window was broken by the jostling crowd. Queue-jumpers made tempers rise and police intervention led to arrests.

A Ministry of Posts spokesman said yesterday that all necessary steps had been taken to meet the increased demand, including the printing of an exceptionally large quantity of the new issue, and an increase in the number of windows selling stamps in post offices.

A special announcement informed the public that post offices would remain open well beyond the normal working hours so as to meet the large sudden demand.

In Jerusalem, impatient crowds milled around the entrance to the post office which was "guarded" by three policemen. The eager buyers brought normal activities almost to a standstill.

In Haifa the queues at the post offices started forming at four o'clock in the morning, and the rush paralyzed normal postal services.

Although it was near the end of the month, people snapped up the IL62 worth of stamps — the maximum allowed to each buyer — with great gusto and police had to be called in to keep order.

In Beersheba the new stamps sold out early in the afternoon, and in the ensuing "riot," two of the post office's windows were smashed by the impatient crowd.

A soldier who had queued from 6:30 a.m. until after noon to buy six envelopes said "It was hell . . . but it was worth it for the boys in the camp." Tel Aviv dealers were selling a stamped envelope of 400 pruta denomination for a cool IL1.500, and in Lilienblum Street prices soared even higher.

The reason for the rush to buy the new stamps was given by a man standing in a Haifa queue. "Tomorrow I'll be able to sell by IL62 worth for a least IL100, and however much our money is devalued, these stamps will always keep their worth," he said.

In Ramle, three persons were injured by glass splinters when a glass pane was shattered by the pressure of pushing queues.

A good-humored bystander in Jerusalem commented, "If they had 20 clerks and two policemen instead of the reverse, they'd do much better."

## Handbook Deals With Portuguese Macau

An edition of the Neues Handbuch der Briefmarken Kunde devoted to the Portuguese possession of Macau has been released and is available in the United States from Fritz Billig, 168-39 Highland Ave., Jamaica 32, N.Y. at \$1.25 per copy postpaid.

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Mr. Billig also announces new editions of his price list of philatelic literature. These offer literature dealing with stamps and other philatelic items from all over the world. Inquiries can be sent to him at the address above.

## Dunn President Of Luxembourg Group

Announced by the Luxembourg Philatelic Study Club are the officers who will take over for the 1957-58 term. President is James Taylor Dunn of St. Paul, Minn. The secretary-treasurer is Warren W. Sadler, 3222 Kensington Ave., Richmond, Va. Directors are Maury Swartz and Francis Rhein. The retiring president is Tom Duffy.

Members are interested in the philately and postal history of the tiny European nation of Luxembourg. Maintaining their interest, and keeping them informed about the society and the specialty, is done via the official publication, the "Luxembourg Philatelist".

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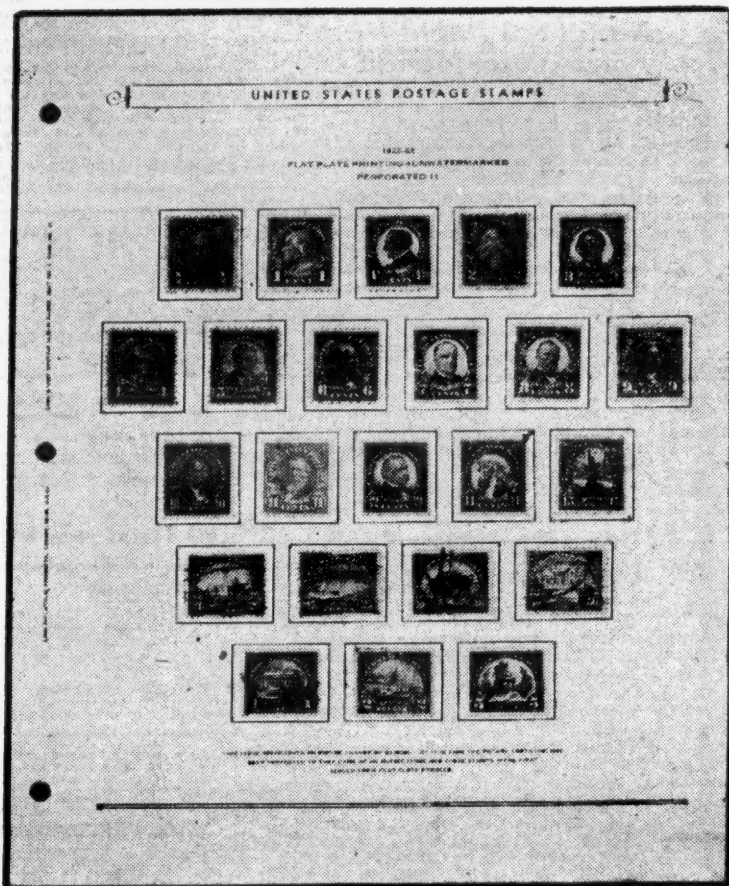
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